

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Andreas Schuetze, et al.
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Title : VACUUM ARC SOURCE WITH DEVICE FOR PRODUCING A
MAGNETIC FIELD

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Examiner : Michael A. Band

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Docket No. : UNAX1-38300

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT "C"

Sir:

This amendment, together with an RCE, is filed in response to the Office action dated March 8, 2010. The period for responding to the Office action expires on April 19, 2010. Please charge \$810 for the RCE to Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. UNAX1-38300.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.